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EASTERN NEWS.

[[illegible] TO THE OREGONIAN.]

Mrs. Moulton Decides to Reopen the Scandal.

New York, Dec. 22.—Mrs. Emma C. Moulton has decided to call an ex parte council in her case if the Plymouth Church consents to the holding of a mutual council based on questions proposed by Mrs. Moulton in her last letter as well as those set forth by the church. The council will comprise such persons as she is informed are the best members of the Congregational Church in the United States.

Money and Stocks.

New York, Dec. 22.—Gold [illegible]; money 7; currency to gold 1.32 premium; closing at latter rate. Govts dull and lower; stocks active and [illegible], W U 72¾, Quicksilver 17½, Pacific Mail [illegible], Mariposa 1⅛, Wells, Fargo Co. 80, N Y C [illegible], Erie 16¾, Panama 125½, Union Pacific 72; do bonds 105; Central Pacific bonds [illegible].

[illegible] and Drowned.

New York, Dec. 22.—Jacob Haberle and Daniel [illegible], two young men, were drowned last evening while skating near New York.

Yale Challenges Harvard.

A letter from New Haven says the Yale University Boat Club [illegible] a challenge to the Harvard [illegible] Boat Club to row an eight oared [illegible] race, with coxswains [illegible] conditions, as shall hereafter [illegible]. If Harvard agree to accept [illegible] Yale is in favor of pulling either in [illegible] or still water.

Fire.

Detroit, Dec. 22.—The content buildings at [illegible] village, in the northern part of the State, are reported to have been destroyed by fire, also a grist mill and shingle mill, with their contents. The loss is [illegible].

Crooked Whisky in Butler County, Pennsylvania.

Pittsburg, Dec. 22.—John L. Hoffman, Conrad [illegible] and Wm. Bowlis, comprising the firm of [illegible] & Co., distillers, at Butler, Butler county, Pennsylvania, were arrested and brought to this city to-day charged with illicit distilling. Alexander Harvey and David King are also under arrest, the former charged with fraud in connection with the distillery and the latter for fraudulently [illegible] warehousing bonds.

Bank Failure.

West Chester, Pa., Dec. 22.—The bank of the Brandywine did not open this morning. The directors are in session.

West Chester, Pa., Dec. 22.—The bank of Brandywine has the following notice posted on the door: The bank finding itself unable to meet the continued demands upon it for deposits, and feeling it to be unjust to allow the depositors living in town a preference over those at a distance, has decided not to open its doors this morning. It is [illegible]. The depositors need not feel uneasy. The assets of the bank are unquestionably sufficient to pay them in full at an early day. [illegible] the bank and much excitement [illegible].

Assignment for Benefit of Creditors.

West Chester, Pa., Dec. 22.—The Bank of Brandywine has made an assignment for the benefit of creditors. It is thought the depositors will be paid in full.

Annual Dinner of the New England Society.

New York, Dec. 22.—At the seventieth annual dinner of the New England Society to-night Pres [illegible] Bailey presided. At his right, President Grant; on the left, Gen. Sherman. Many distinguished guests were present and responded to toasts. President Grant did not speak, but Gen. Sherman in reply to the "Army and Navy" said:

"The civilization of New England is based on that of North America. The black man is as free as I am. The Japanese are free to come here, so are the Chinese, but the civilization of New England will remain and will govern this continent. The New England man, go where he will, carries a center which, enlarging, will affect everything it comes in contact with. He is the embodiment of the English speaking people who believe in honesty, truth, and patriotism. Referring to the result of the war, [illegible] there never was such an example of conquerors giving the conquered the same rights as they themselves possessed. From the moment the vanquished laid down their arms we said to them, Go to, go to work for the flag which is to be the common banner of our homes. I say to all Southern men who will go with heart and hand to help to build up this land, they are welcome just as if born on the very soil of Plymouth Rock; but if they cherish any hopes like the old conflict the storm will arise over their heads ten times as heavy as the last one. I speak for the army and navy—the men of bone, of muscle, the brain and sinew of the aggregate American [illegible]." He referred to the hard times and said the trouble is that the people flock too much to cities. [illegible] them to come West. [Laughter.] "There is no starving in St. Louis—plenty there to eat and drink. We will give you a hearty welcome and God speed to the best land west of us. If the people of New York will learn a lesson of the Pilgrim fathers and go back to somewhat of their economy, the national debt will be paid in five years and specie payment would come naturally. Let us go back to times before the war, and, if necessary, I myself will give the example of earning my own living, but in doing so let us keep the art of war before us, and we will not have the mortification of sending to Germany for soldiers to drill our soldiers in the next war [illegible]."

Terrible Explosion and Loss of Life.

Boston, Dec. 22.—Shortly before 7 P. M. a terrible explosion occurred in South Boston by which a large number of persons were injured and several killed. It is impossible as yet to learn the cause of the explosion or the extent of the damage. The gas main running under Federal street bridge to South Boston, and along the water's edge under the pavement on Federal street, exploded with a loud report, tearing up the pavement for 150 feet or more. The street was thronged with people at the time. Many were buried under the debris. Crosby's grain warehouse was badly shattered and will have to be taken down. The foreman was instantly killed. It is supposed that several persons were blown into the water. Several dead bodies have already been taken out.

The list of killed and wounded thus far is: [illegible] killed, 4 seriously hurt, 9 slightly injured, 1 [illegible] are missing, and are supposed to have been blown into the water and drowned. It is supposed that the recent cold weather caused the pipe to burst, and the ground becoming impregnated with gas, ignition from some cause communicated fire to the confined gas and caused the explosion. A witness states that the first intimation was a bright flash, about the middle of the causeway, followed by a sharp explosion, paving stones, etc., flying in all directions. Almost immediately [illegible] way on the right hand under which the gas main was laid into the river, carrying with it several persons, who were stunned. The number of the injured or killed by the explosion has not as yet been ascertained, but it is feared that several are buried under the debris or are at the bottom of the river. The pavement was completely torn up for a distance of 150 feet.

Held to Answer.

New York, Dec. 22.—Wm. A. Bombey, secretary of the New York Rectifying Co., was this afternoon held by the U. S. commissioner for the action of the grand jury, for having failed to make proper entries of the manufacture of spirits.

Handed Over to the Officers.

Wm. Mortimer, the alleged robber of the auditor's office in Toledo, Ohio, was handed over to the [illegible] Ohio this afternoon.

Wool.

Boston, Dec. 22.—Wool—There is no material change in prices. Holders being confident that present rates will be sustained are not disposed [illegible] or urge sales. Manufacturers continue to purchase as wanted. Stock of all kinds on the market is believed to be small for the season. Sales of X and X X Ohio at [illegible]; Pennsylvania fleeces at 46 and 48c per pound; Michigan and Wisconsin fleeces and X medium at [illegible] and 48; combing and delaine fleeces 60 and 60c for washed, and [illegible] for unwashed; pulled wool has been in demand at 40 and 60c for super and X, and very choice [illegible] superfine at higher prices. California wool continues in fair demand at [illegible] and 34 for fall and spring, according to quality.

Police Guarding the Reading Railroad.

Pottsville, Pa., Dec. 22.—The special police of the Reading Railway Co. are guarding the track [illegible] in the vicinity of Mount Carmel to-day, being called there suddenly to protect the company's property, in consequence of a gang of desperadoes who boarded the passenger train last night, fired on the conductor and brakeman, [illegible] by the latter. They then began beating the conductor, when the passengers came to his rescue and succeeded in driving them from the car. The excitement is very great.

Earthquake at Richmond, Va.

Richmond, Dec. 22.—A violent earthquake shock was felt here to-night. The guests of the different hotels were so much alarmed from the rocking of the buildings as to assemble in the parlors ready [illegible]. The alarm was general, the shock being felt in all parts of the city and citizens [illegible] their dwellings in fright.

WASHINGTON CITY

Letter from Secretary Bristow Settling the Wool Question in California.

Washington, Dec. 22.—Secretary Bristow writes to Mr. Sargent settling the Lower California wool question adversely to the interest of the San Diego merchants. He says wool on the back of American sheep returned from grazing on foreign soil is free, but if severed is dutiable. The departments [illegible] complained of and the duties levied can not be legally changed or suspended without further legislation, except for the admission of wool on the backs of imported sheep.

Texas Pacific Railway.

The friends of the Texas Pacific Railroad claim that their bill involves no subsidy except under rigid restrictions, say that therefore the recent House resolution against subsidies does not damage their prospects and they continue to be jubilantly hopeful.

Granger Cases in the Supreme Court.

Washington, Dec. 22.—The Granger cases involving the question of the right of States to regulate the carrying rates of railroads will be further argued before the supreme court on the 11th of January.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

Pierre Bonaparte Candidate for Chamber of Deputies.

London, Dec. 22.—The *Standard's* Paris dispatch says Prince Pierre Bonaparte has issued an address as candidate for the chamber of deputies from Corsica.

Chinese Ministers to the United States.

Shanghai, Dec. 22.—Cheng Long Pin and Yung Bung have been appointed ministers to the United States.

Appointed to Command.

Madrid, Dec. 22.—Gen. Echago has been appointed to the command of the army of the left.

Training Ship Burned.

London, Dec. 22.—The training ship Goliath of Gravesend was burned this morning.

Bank of England.

Bullion withdrawn from the Bank of England on balance to-day, £154,000.

Burning of a Training Ship—20 Lives Lost.

London, Dec. 22—Midnight.—The reports that 20 lives were lost by the burning of the training ship *Goliath* are contradicted. There is reason to believe that twenty perished.

P. H. for Universities of Glasgow and Aberdeen.

Lord Advocate Edward Stratearn Gordon, Conservative, has been returned to Parliament by the Universities of Glasgow and Aberdeen.

Eruption of Vesuvius Looked For.

Rome, Dec. 22.—Dispatches from Naples report the agitation in Mount Vesuvius increasing and an extensive eruption looked for.

Ship Hadden Hall in Trouble.

Southampton, Dec. 22.—The British ship *Hadden Hall* from San Francisco for Queenstown put into Cowes with loss of sails, cargo shifted and crew sick.

Only One Passenger Lost.

London, Dec. 23—7 A. M.—A Paris dispatch to the London *Telegraph* asserts that only one passenger was drowned on the steamer *Louisiana*. All the others lost belonged to the crew.

Bosnia—Sultan not worthy of Confidence.

London, Dec. 22.—A special from Vienna reports the eighty insurgent delegates assembled at Jamnetm, Bosnia, have rejected the Sultan's firman, proposing reforms as unworthy of confidence. They have formed a sort of provisional government.

Reinforcements for Cuba.

Madrid, Dec. 22.—The *Cronista* announces that the government has decided to send important reinforcements to Cuba.

WEST INDIES.

Spanish Officers want to Leave Cuba.

Havana, Dec. 22.—Captain General Valmaseda has refused the request of a number of the highest military officers in Cuba to sign an order allowing them to return with him to Spain.

BRITISH COLUMBIA

Two sons of Mr. Greyell of Chilliwhack, had their feet badly frozen a few days since.

By the fall of his barn, during a late gale, Mr. John Durant of Saanich lost three valuable horses, his chief means of support.

The body of old Captain Newton, a resident of Fidalgo Island, has been picked up in his boat. He had evidently died of heart disease while rowing.

Ex Mayor McMillan has signified an intention of retiring from the editorial control of the *Standard*. Dr. Walkem, brother of the first minister of the province, will probably succeed him.

Charles T. Dupont, Esq., to be an official assignee of British Columbia, and C. M. Chambers, Esq., to be a commissioner of pilots for British Columbia, *vice* Capt. Raymur resigned, are gazetted at Ottawa.

From Cariboo to Mundorf's there is very good sleighing; from Mundorf's to Boston Bar fair waggoning; from Boston Bar to Yale roads are in bad repair and unfit for neither sleighing nor waggoning.

A young man named Herbin attempted to commit suicide last week at the American Hotel in Victoria. He was discovered in the act and prevented doing himself more harm. He arrived from up-country about three weeks since and is supposed to have been drinking hard.

A letter from the Cassiar gold fields dated Oct. 26th, states that the Discovery claim, the week previous to date, had yielded 69 ounces with six men working. The weather had been mild and it was expected that work would be continued till Christmas. Good health prevailed and provisions were plentiful.

The synodical convention of the Church of England met at Victoria on the 18th, the lord bishop of Columbia presiding. The delegates present numbered 21. After an address from the lord bishop, Mr. Holbrook, delegate from New Westminster, seconded by Dean Gilson, moved that convention do now declare itself a synod and proceed to form a constitution and adopt by-laws, canons, etc., subject to the concurrent consent of the bishop.

THE ILL FATED PACIFIC

The following is an extract from a letter from Messrs. Goodall, Nelson & Perkins, to their agents at Victoria relative to the condition of the *Pacific*:

"There is no reason why they should call the steamer *Pacific* unseaworthy upon an ex parte testimony. We will show to the satisfaction of any unbiased mind that the steamer was in as good condition as the first year she was built, and that there was not a timber in her, to our knowledge, that was not sound. We will make a statement and have the same substantiated by men who can have no possible motive to represent that which is not true.

That the steamer had not a sufficient number of boats for the passengers and crew is false in every sense of the word. If she had but five, as it is stated by the witnesses (we think she had six), those five boats' carrying capacity would be for 278 persons, according to English method of measuring, which is to multiply the length by breadth and depth and divide their product by ten, and the quotient will give the number of persons the boat of such dimensions is allowed to carry; and the *Pacific*, including all of the crew, had about 220 persons. This would leave us with boat capacity for 58 persons more than there were on the ill fated steamer, even admitting that the ship had but five boats.

We had the pleasure of meeting Mr. Jelly several different times while here. He gave his testimony before the Board of U. S. Inspectors while in this city. He says that the reflection upon Captain Howell that he was under the influence of liquor is a base slander upon the dead."

Love and Labor.—Love loves to labor. It lives to give itself away. There is no such thing as indolent love. Look within your heart and see if this is not true. If you love any one truly and deeply the cry of your heart is to spend and be spent in the loved one's service. Love would die if it could not benefit. Its keenest suffering is met when it finds itself unable to assist. What man could see the woman he loves lack anything and be unable to give it to her and not suffer? Why, love makes one a slave! It toils night and day, refusing all wages and all reward save the smile of the one whose [illegible] its delight, at whose feet it [illegible] its [illegible]. There is no danger that language can be too strong or too fervently used to portray the services of love. By cradle, by couch, by sick bed and coffin, in hut and palace, the ministries of love are being wrought. The eyes of all behold them; the hearts of all are moved at the spectacle.

The Boston *Journal* says that when the war broke out the accumulations of Henry Wilson amounted to some few hundred dollars. When the war closed he was some $1,500 in debt. No sick soldier was ever left uncared for if his pecuniary means rendered it possible to afford relief.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA.

San Francisco Stock Market.

San Francisco, Dec. 22.—Ophir 47¼; Mexican 10; G & C 19¾; B & B 57; Savage 14¼; H & N 15; Chollar 88; Point 28¾; Imperial 8¾; Jackson 10¼; Empire Mill 5¾; Kentuck 13; Alpha 17¼; Belcher 32; Con. Va. 389; Confidence 19¾; S Nev 20¾; Cal 69¾; Bullion 45; Exchequer 11; Seg Belcher 86; Overman 67; Justice 26¼; Union Con 82; L Bryan 2¾; Julia 14¼; Caledonia 24½; Baltimore 22; Utah 16; Globe 10½.

Evening Board.—N Y Con 2¼; Dayton 4¼; R Island 3¾; S Hill 7¼; New Coso 1¾; A[illegible] of Coso Con 1¼; Panther 75c; Hussey 1¼; Gila 2½; Jefferson 6; Prussian 1¾; Leopard 11½; Eu Con 17; Adams Hill 50c; Belmont 1; Valley 2¼; R & E 18; Picton 5c; Occidental 3¾; Sheridan 75c; American Flat 1½; Woodville 3; Mint 45c; Alta 3; L Washington 2¼; Kossuth 3¼; O G Hill 2¼; Andes 9¾; Mides 7; Florida 3; Europa 1; Pacific 1; Fargo 25c; Leviathan 2¼; Monumental 87c; Point 28¾; Justice 26¾; Ophir 48¼; Con Va 387; Belcher 32½; G & C 19¾; B & B 56¾; Savage 14¼; Overman 64¼; S Nev 20¾.

Greenbacks—88 buying, 88½ selling.

Clearing House Wanted in San Francisco.

San Francisco, Dec. 22.—The establishment of a clearing house is a lively topic of discussion among banks and bankers. No obstacles appear to be in the way excepting the aversion manifested toward the project on the part of a few banks. A great majority highly approve it and have signified a desire to have it established. The committee met yesterday to draft a plan to be submitted to bankers. The meeting was private and the result will not be made public for a few days. The chief objection to the project on the part of demurring banks is that it will violate the secrecy of their business. It is expected that fifteen houses will take part in the movement, and, when the advantages of it have become illustrated, more houses will join.

Legislative Committee to Inquire into Marine Losses.

The resolution of Assemblyman Pullen calling for the appointment of a Legislative committee to inquire into losses of reputed unseaworthy vessels sailing out of San Francisco, excites no little comment here, more particularly in nautical circles. The fact that Mr. Pullen was recently an employe of Goodall, Nelson & Perkins, and is a man versed in matters pertaining to seafaring life, adds weight to his suggestion in view of recent occurrences. There is a very general impression here among seafaring men, that something of the kind ought to be done without unnecessary delay, and Pullen's resolution is considered a step in the right direction.

Troops for San Diego.

Gen. Schofield is in consultation with gentlemen from San Diego this morning, with reference to affairs on the border, and the expediency of dispatching troops to the scene of trouble. No decision has yet been arrived at, but it is expected something will be determined upon during the day. No official dispatches have yet been received at the Army head quarters concerning the state of affairs.

Gen. Schofield has ordered Company G, First Cavalry, now at Presidio, to San Diego, for service on the border. They will start overland to-morrow, going by rail as far as possible.

Crooked Whisky on the Pacific Coast.

As the result of investigations which have recently been going quietly on with regard to the crooked whisky business on this coast, Secretary Bristow has made an assessment of $124,944 40-100 against Charles Jost, Grove Adams, Jerome B. Fargo and Charles Werner, for unpaid duties on spirits claimed to have been manufactured in 1868 and 1869 in the Brannon street distillery. As yet no other parties have been assessed and it cannot be ascertained if any discoveries have been made pointing to further proceedings.

Death of Brig.-Gen. Morgan.

Monday night Brig. Gen. [illegible] Morgan, Major 4th artillery, U. S. A., died of apoplexy at Alcatraz Island. He had been suffering for several days previous. Gen. Morgan was a son of Judge Morgan of New York. He graduated at the U. S. Military Academy at West Point July 1st, 1857, and entered the army as Brevet 2d Lieut. of artillery. He served with distinction during the war of the rebellion in the army of the Potomac. The funeral will be to-morrow from Alcatraz Island.

A Japanese Military Funeral.

A Japanese military funeral took place this morning at the Masonic cemetery, being the first that ever occurred in the United States. The deceased was one of the marines on board the Japanese steamer *Tsukuba*, who died on Monday night. This morning the body was brought on shore at Vallejo street stairs, in the cutter, towed by the steam launch belonging to the *Tsukuba*. The body, in accordance with the national custom, was in a box shaped coffin about two and a half feet high, covered with the national flag, and surrounded by sixteen marines, all in full dress uniform and armed. Four officers in full dress were in the steam launch. The body was placed in the undertaker's wagon and borne to the cemetery, the officers following in a carriage and the marines in horse cars. On arriving at Cemetery avenue the marines, as a guard, preceded the corpse, and on reaching the grave formed in a double line through which the coffin was borne. The coffin, which was covered with Japanese writing, was deposited in the grave so that the corpse, which was in a sitting position, faced toward the east. Three volleys of musketry were then fired, and the grave filled up by the usual attendants. After this an officer made an address to those present and the marines, taking shovels, smoothed the grave over, and made the sand into a square-shaped pile, resembling the coffin. On this pile each marine, with his sword, made sundry marks on the sand, which concluded the ceremonies.

Attempt at Assassination by a Boy.

About one o'clock this morning a boy named Patrick Ryan attempted to assassinate a man named Barney on Folsom street near First. On being arrested he stated Barney had insulted his mother and threatened his father, for which he had lain in wait for him with an intention of killing him. The boy was locked up. Barney has not yet been found.

Held to Answer.

John M. Keenan, accused of attempting to outrage a child six years old, was held to answer before the grand jury in the police court, to-day. Bail $20,000. Keenan was mate of the steamer *Continental*. He took the child on board the steamer to accomplish his purpose.

Sale of Bank of California Stock.

Two thousand seven hundred shares capital stock of the Bank of California were sold at auction at the salesroom in the Maison Doree to-day. Two thousand five hundred shares brought $20 per share and 200 sold at $18. It is supposed that the sale is for the purpose of closing out some estate, though that it is is not definitely known.

Pleasant Weather.

The weather is very warm and pleasant. The barometer has been rising for the last two days and there is every indication of continued fine weather.

Mexican Border Troubles.

San Diego, Dec. 22.—A dispatch from Camp [illegible] last night says: Nothing unusual has transpired here to-day. Guards have been on post during the entire day. Our little force are all well armed and confident they could easily repel the attack of thirty Mexicans or more. It is, however, our belief that there is no danger of attack as long as our force remains here, the Mexicans being apparently aware of our presence. Ex alcalde at Tecate, Ambrosio Gonsalez, was here to-day. He merely wished to exchange civilities and reinstate good feelings between the Americans and his countrymen. Pancho Alvitre, cousin of one of the bandits, passed down yesterday from Los Angeles, avoiding the store here. A scout came in this afternoon reporting all quiet across the line.

The *Union* of this morning says: We are in possession of intelligence which cannot properly be made public at present concerning another contemplated movement of banditti near our line. It may be stated that a good watch is being kept and the scoundrels will not be apt to effect a surprise in this instance.

ARIZONA.

Affairs in Arizona.

Tucson, Dec. 22.—Samuel Hughes, a citizen of this place, has just arrived from Sonora, and reports that ex-Gov. I. Pesquira, with a force of 600 troops, is in camp just south of the line and Gen. Serna with about 300 revolutionists, is in Arizona, just across the line, having retreated from Sonora last Saturday, on the advance of Pesquira's forces. The stock of the inhabitants of Santa Cruz and Sonora had been driven back by Pesquira's troops. The latter sent a messenger to the people, assuring them that those peacefully inclined would be protected. Serna captured the messenger and now holds him as a prisoner. On receipt of this intelligence Gov. Safford telegraphed to Gen. Kautz asking him to send such forces as he might deem necessary to drive the armed forces across the line into Sonora, and to prevent the forces of either side from crossing into Arizona. The adherents of Serna discredit the report and insist that the war on the Pesquira government will continue, even if they have to fight from the rocks, like Apaches. It is certain that the revolutionists have more sympathizers than active participants, and so far, have gained no foothold upon Sonora soil.

UTAH.

Struck it Rich.

Salt Lake, Dec. 22.—It is reported that the Bay City Tunnel Co. have struck a rich and large body of ore some two hundred feet below the workings of the Emma mine, supposed to be the Emma lode.

INSTALLATION AT JEFFERSON

Jefferson, Dec. 22, 1875.

To the Editor of the Oregonian:

Yesterday was a gala day (night) for the Jeffersonians, or at least for such as were elected, or rather were *selected*, by the distinguishing reception of a "*billet doux*" to be present. The occasion was the installation of the officers elect of the "Independent Order of the Champions of the Red Cross"—McDougall and Taylor branch.

This is the first public demonstration made in this city by this order, and although it was marred in some respects by the nonarrival of the orator of the night and the officer of installation, yet the *impromptu* address delivered by the presiding officer—young and timid—was kindly received and highly appreciated by the admiring throng.

The exercises of the evening although they were in many respects unique, and, to a novice, amusing, yet in the *summum bonum* they were not dissimilar to all the oath bound secret societies, pledging fidelity to the order, an affectionate regard for the brotherhood, and the due exercise of benevolence in all cases of distress found within the bounds of the fraternity, and a constant effort to rescue the fallen from the degradations of intemperance. On the whole, they were imposing and instructive. Quite an interesting part of the programme was the performance of an amateur club of vocal and instrumental musicians, improvised for the special occasion. They are young, promising, and native-born Oregonians, and if the judicious selections and fine and accurate performance of the pieces augur anything for the future, the world may expect to hear of them again soon.

Thus whiled away the pleasing hours of evening administering ecstasy and delight to the intellectual and social man; but when the Eminent Commander made his *debut* on the platform, and with a countenance beaming with the smiles of ineffable gratification, announced to the anxious waiting multitude, "Gentlemen and ladies, supper is ready," what followed the pen of your correspondent essayeth not to portray. Sufficeth it to say, with such a supper as this, the outward man perisheth not, while the inward man is renewed day by day. Here were plates burdened with the choicest of chicken and fowl, cakes and pies, candy and nuts, *ad infinitum*, groaning to be delivered. To the juvenile portion of this promiscuous crowd, this was the most interesting period of the evening. Stomachs and pockets were stuffed indiscriminately, alike—full. But all things have an end. This grand carnival was brought to a close, much to the regret of many if not all, at 11 P. M. But though dead it yet speaketh. Its influence is going on and on and onward, and we think for good. Many were much interested in the ceremonies, more were pleased with the performance, and all were delighted. New associations were formed, old acquaintances renewed, and each one was permitted to grasp the warm hand of his neighbor. May the long, monotonous winter evenings of rural Oregon often be disturbed by such social gatherings.

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A PHOTOGRAPH OF CARL SCHURZ

BY COLONEL [illegible] DONAN

He is one of the marked men of our revolution. A carrot headed Mephistopheles in appearance, a Mercury in fluency and a courtier in grace, a volcano in fire and an iceberg in coolness, deliberate in council and impetuous in action; strange bundle of all possible and impossible contradictions and seeming antagonisms, he stands forth upon this commonplace age, clear cut, bold, and prominent as the big wooden Indian in front of a tobacco shop door. In his mental make up the wildest German transcendentalism and French communism meet and shake hands with the intensest Yankee shrewdness and the broadest humanitarianism. A European anarchist, he has taught Americans the true principles of their constitution and government, and set them an example of self denying patriotism. A fanatical abolitionist and bitter upholder of the federal flag, he was the first man in the Radical party in Missouri to meet the present editor of the *Sentinel* upon a platform of conciliation in 1870, and battle for the enfranchisement of his former foes. The proclamation of "universal amnesty and impartial suffrage" led him to the support of the Greeley movement in 1872, which Democratic insanity killed. Too great to be a partisan, he lacks but a little hard practical horse sense to render him a statesman. Not of extraordinary powers, but wiry, supple and ever alert, thoroughly trained, every thew and sinew under perfect control. Not a ponderous intellectual pile driver or sledge hammerer like Webster or Clay, but a keen, polished Damascus blade like Randolph or Calhoun. Not a flower strewing poet orator like Henry Wirt or Prentiss, but a wielder of inexorable logic and an arrayer of bewildering facts and figures. Above all the dirty tricks, treats and trade of political shambles, of reproachless integrity, honest, fearless and always aggressive, sometimes brilliant, he is incomparably the ablest representative Missouri has had in Washington since the days of Tom Benton and Jim Green. But with all his ability and purity, he is utterly unsafe as a leader.

The Marquis of Lorne, fancying himself a poet, has had the temerity to rush into print. This is what the critics say of his poem "Guido and Lita":

Most of the newspapers have puffed it very much, perhaps out of sympathy for the Marquis's eclipse in public life from having been absorbed into the [illegible] story of the royal family; but in the interests of honest criticism it must be said it be poor stuff—not indeed such as anybody need be ashamed of—for all men are not born poets—but such as any one should be ashamed to put forth with ostentation and parade. It is a mere jingle from beginning to end of commonplace ideas and verbiage, a mere schoolboy performance, in fact such as almost any young gentleman at Eton or Rugby could turn out with a little application. Some passages are not even grammatical, and throughout words are hitched in for the sake of rhyme which are either pure tautology or nonsense.

OREGON.

The new road between Halsey and the river is impassable.

Canyonville Lodge of Good Templars contains 112 members.

There are two banks in full blast in Jacksonville—both faro banks.

A new hall will be dedicated to public uses at Pendleton on Christmas day.

Considerable sickness, in the character of typhoid fever, is raging about Bethel.

The roof on the Blue Mountain University at La Grande has been finished and the dome nearly so.

The house of D. Theodore, near Umatilla, was burglarized of $25 coin on Tuesday night of last week.

A firm on Myrtle creek, Douglas county, has butchered 250 hogs this season, and will kill a good many more.

Last week Mr. William Denning of Lake creek, Linn country, got his legs badly mashed in a grubbing machine.

An Indian whose wife had eloped with a member of the tribe shot himself to death near the town of Umatilla last week.

Oakland Lodge A. F. & A. M. will have a public installation of officers on the evening of the 27th. Hon. B. Herman will deliver the address.

Warrants to the aggregate amount of $6,000 were accredited by the county court of Jackson county at its November term, mostly on account of criminal trials.

Three or four vessels are now at Gardiner loading or waiting to get out over the bar, viz: *Melancthon*, *Letitia*, *Maggie Johnson*, and the new schooner *J. B. Leeds*.

Steps are being taken to establish, by a corporate company, a manufactory at Salem for the Pelton Horse Powers and Separators, with other useful farming machinery.

Yet-quet-chi-pilpin, an Indian under arrest for larceny at the Umatilla agency, escaped and was retaken twice, and at length made his final escape to the happy hunting grounds by hanging himself.

Improvements are going on every day in Buena Vista, and several houses are almost completed, while others are on the way. There is a greater demand for houses in that village than they can supply.

The Lake county circuit court, which was to meet on the fourth Monday in November, for various unavoidable reasons, did not convene. But little business was on docket, hence no harm will result therefrom.

On Monday last, while a man who was working on the farm of William Ingram, between Albany and Tangent, was absent, some petty thief entered his cabin and stole his Sunday clothes, boots and a number of other articles. No clue to the thief.

THE TERRITORIES.

The purser of the steamer *Los Angeles* paid all the *Pacific's* debts on the Sound.

Only about 200 bales of the hop crop of Puyallup valley yet remains to be shipped.

A big lottery scheme, in which the prizes are part property and part money, is on foot at Seattle.

The ship *Dashing Wave* recently made the round trip from San Francisco to Tacoma and back with a cargo of lumber, in 21 days.

The Seattle *Tribune* says the Seattle Coal and Transportation Co. have mortgaged their property to S. Blair, of San Francisco, for $100,000.

The Washington correspondent of the Walla Walla *Statesman* intimates that Hon. E. S. Kearney will shortly be appointed to succeed Gov. Ferry of Washington Territory.

We learn from the Missoula paper that Charley Buck arrived there from Walla Walla with his train and cargo of apples. Out of 10,000 pounds they were able to pick out only about 5,000 that were not touched with frost. The frozen ones were sold off cheap to those who had immediate use for them.

After the 26th inst., the P. M. S. S. Co's steamer *City of Panama* will take her place on the route between Seattle and San Francisco, in place of the *Dakota* and *Salvador*, and on the first of next month a new schedule of the *Panama's* semi monthly arrivals and departures will be fixed upon by the company.

Mr. Otis Freeman, an agent for parties in San Francisco, and Mr. John Collins, as president of the Talbot Coal company, have concluded an agreement and contract by which the great bulk of the coal mined by the Talbot company is disposed of for the next twelve months. The contract has already gone into effect.

A Chinaman at Wagontown, not far from Boise City, undertook to do away with a number of his countrymen last week in a wholesale way. He bought a bottle of morphine and mixing it with some other liquor gave it them to drink, which they did. All were very sick, but only one turned his toes to the daisies. The celestial Borgia hid in a snow bank, and was nearly frozen when found. He was lodged in jail, where he tried to kill himself and may yet cheat the gallows.

Never before has the Nisqually river become such a destroying current as last week. It has been forming a sandbar at the ferry place between Olympia and Steilacoom during the summer months. That bar, which was building up so slowly, has now changed the channel of the river so that it is rapidly washing away the banks on the side of the river. The house belonging to the ferryman, which has stood on the bank of the river for years, has been moved back, so that the river may not wash it away. The ferry has been changed to a point a few rods below the old location.

Yale has issued the usual challenge to Harvard to run an eight oared four mile race. Yale has withdrawn from the American College Rowing Association and will take no part in the annual regattas. The challenge is to row a race with coxswains, after the English fashion. In the former races between these colleges and in all the regattas, the boats contending carried no coxswains, but were steered by one of the crew, usually, we believe, by the one pulling the bow oar. Perhaps the Yale men think they are stronger than the Harvard crew and that they are, therefore, better able to carry the additional weight of a coxswain; or perhaps they are afraid of the Harvards, and impose that condition in hopes that that crew will not accept the challenge. There must be some reason for departing from what is known as the American fashion.

Certain gentlemen of New York desirous of establishing the sport of fox hunting in the vicinity of New York went over to New Jersey a few weeks ago for the purpose of chasing a bagged fox. The sport was very harmless for the fox soon ran away from men and dogs both and was never seen or heard of afterwards. But the compassionate soul of Mr. Bergh was moved and he felt constrained to write a long letter, in which he stigmatized the sport as inhuman, cruel and brutal. His love for the fox carried him to such an extent that he is said to have advised the farmers over whose soil the hunters rode to assault them and do bodily injury to them. Verily Mr. Bergh's compassion is of a marvellous nature.

Fechter, the German tragedian, during the performance of a play at the Walnut street Theater in Philadelphia, recently fell from a platform part which gave way under him. The fall injured him so seriously that it is thought that he will have to leave the stage. He has sued the proprietors of the theater for damages.

Reports from Southern California, and from Texas, indicate a state of affairs on the border line between the United States and Mexico, which calls for the immediate attention of the Government. The Mexicans living near the line are all, almost without an exception, thieves and murderers. They cultivate no land, tend no herds except such as they steal. They observe no law and yield obedience to no ruler, other than the captain for the time being of their several marauding bands. Well armed and well mounted, they make constant incursions into our territory, to kill our people and carry off our property. Thefts and murders are of daily occurrence and the thieves and murderers ride away with their booty, almost without interference. The people of Lower California and Texas have already organized themselves in companies for mutual protection, but as they cannot legally pursue the Mexicans in their own territory, this sort of defense is not efficient. What is necessary is that the Government of the United States should take the matter in hand, and if the Mexican authorities are not able to compel the people of Sonora to become good citizens, march a few regiments into that province and clean it out. The work would not be one of much difficulty. Gen. Schofield is already thinking of sending some troops to San Diego. If he should do so we would have fewer murders to note, and property would be much safer in that locality.

The citizens of San Diego county are somewhat largely interested in sheep raising, and have been in the habit of sending their flocks over the line into Mexican territory to graze there. When shearing time came some of the sheep owners sheared their sheep in Mexico and brought their fleeces back into the United States. When this wool came into this country it was required to pay duty, although from sheep belonging to Americans living in the United States. To be obliged to pay duty was considered a hardship, and the matter was brought to the notice of Secretary Bristow by Mr. Sargent. The decision of the Secretary is that wool on the back of the sheep may come in free from duty; but that wool sheared from no matter whose sheep shall pay duty the same as any foreign wool.

Martin Farquhar Tupper, the author of a work known as Proverbial Philosophy, having brought himself to look upon the American Revolution with the eyes of a friend, has, after the manner of the amiable Mr. Silas Wegg, dropped into poetry concerning it. This production was read to a number of American gentlemen, including Minister Schenck, in London, on the 4th ult. Minister Schenck, though somewhat pale, was able to attend to the duties of his office next day, and on the following day had fully recovered his strength.

If I only had Leisure.—"If I had leisure I would repair that weak place in my fence," said a farmer. He had none, however, and while drinking cider with a neighbor, the cows broke in and injured a prime piece of corn. "If I had leisure," said a wheelwright, last winter, "I would alter my stove pipe, for I know it is not safe." But he did not find time, and when his shop caught fire and burned down, he found time to build another. "If I had leisure," said a mechanic, "I should have my work done in season." The man thinks his time has been all occupied, but he was not at work till after sunrise, he quit work at 5 o'clock, smoked after dinner, and spent two hours on the street talking nonsense with an idler. "If I had leisure," said a merchant, "I would pay more attention to my accounts and would try and collect my bills more promptly." The chance is, my friend, if you had leisure you would probably pay less attention to the matter.

The Farmer City (Ill.) *Journal* of Nov. 11, announces the death of the famous trotting mule, Jennie, caused by the burning of a barn in which she was kept at that place. "In the fire that burned Rathbun's livery stable last week, was lost the most wonderful trotting mule in the world, as the following record will show. A mule that will trot at all is a curiosity, and one that can make as fast time as one-half the race horses in the country is something that was unheard of in racing circles until the advent of Jennie. She was neatly built, fifteen hands in height and was aged ten years at the time of her death. She was raised in Indiana, where Dan Willis, hearing of her trotting abilities, traded a team of horses for her. Although she had never had any regular training, she made a record in Indiana of a mile heat in 2 46, and a half mile at the rate of 2 42."

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THURSDAY MORNING, DEC 23 1875

OUR SISTER REPUBLIC

The relations between Mexico and the United States are friendly. They are more than friendly. They are pleasant. It is right and proper that they should be so. It is right and proper, and the only right and proper course, for all peoples to preserve friendly relations with each other, and it is peculiarly so for nations having the same form of government and geographical separated from each other by nothing but an imaginary line. The fraternal feeling in such case is, or should be, heightened and strengthened by contiguity. It is a matter of neighborhood as well as of general amity, of territorial contiguity as well as of governmental contiguity.

But this friendship between our country and her sister republic may be over done. Fraternity should not be maintained at the expense of national honor, or at the sacrifice of the rights and immunities of citizenship. That this state of things exists in the case of the Unitd States and Mexico, is unquestionably true, or else all the reports touching the matter, for the last year or two, including reports from official sources, as well as those of the newspaper press, are a tissue of falsehoods. American citizens along the Texan frontier have had no peace for a long time. Their homes have been invaded and their property carried away with impunity by raiders from the Mexican border. There appears to be no security for life itself. And not only this but the mails of the United States have been robbed and destroyed, and even the postoffices rifled, by bands of armed Mexicans. And when the leader of an organized army of banditti who had plundered our people was asked to be surrendered up for trial according to the course of procedure of the country in which his crimes had been committed the demand was evaded and the brigand chieftain was protected.

It is claimed that there have been raids across the border by Americans. That is doubtless true, but in a very limited sense. Americans, harassed by the frequent incursions of Mexican raiders, and provoked by the loss of their property, have crossed over into Mexican territory and made reprisals, in many instances, doubtless, without very close discrimination as to whether they took back their own from those who had robbed them, or laid hands on the property of innocent persons. It may be admitted, too, that some few instances must have occurred in which lawless persons from the American side have committed crimes on the Mexican side of the line; but these instances have been so few that they cannot be cited with any show of reason as an offset to the systematic plundering of Americans on American soil by Mexicans. And now the case is further aggravated by Mexican raids upon the southern border of California, thus opening up the same system on the Pacific which has been carried on in so high-handed a manner on the Rio Grande.

It is said the Mexican government is comparatively weak, and is unable, therefore, to restrain its people from these outrages. Perhaps that is so, but that is not our matter. The fact that one government cannot prevent its people from organizing a system of spoliation upon the people of another government is no reason why the latter should tolerate the wrong. It is the business of government to protect its own citizens and to see to it that they do not invade a neighboring country. This duty of restraint is no less obligatory than that of protection and when a government confesses its inability to discharge it, it furnishes a pretty strong argument against itself. It is time these raids were stopped. It is time for our government to supplement its expeditions of observation along the Rio Grande with a peremptory demand at the Mexican capital that means be found, at least, to reduce these plundering excursions from the status of national to that of individual enterprise. The people of those sections of country which are the theater of such exploits have a right to expect protection at the hands of their own government, even to the extent, if nothing else will do, of that appeal which is left to nations when peaceable efforts have been exhausted.

GIVE THE LOBBY A CHANCE

In the December number of the *Republic* there appears an article, apparently editorial, on "The Third House," in which the abuse of the lobby which has come to be the fashion of the times, is deprecated. The lobby it is truthfully claimed is as old as parliamentary bodies, and from this we suppose from this, as we observe no other basis of argument—it is inferred that the lobby on the average is not so very objectionable as people are wont to think. It would be rash to say that an institution—for the lobby we are told must be considered an institution—which has so venerable a record is entitled to the benefit of no presumptions. From time immemorial there has been a class of persons who made their way in the world by paying court to power and burning incense before those who by any of the accidents of fortune had reached such positions as enabled them to reward sycophancy. How absurd it would be to speak of this ancient guild!

But passing the argument for the lobby as an institution an argument we have just confessed our inability to answer and accepting, without the slightest suggestion of a grain of allowance the *Republic's* bold declaration that the Third House—the lobby—is an "honorable body," we come to the particular lobby for whose special benefit and vindication the article under review appears to have been written. We mean of course the lobby that hangs about the capitol at Washington. This particular organization of the ancient institution has a fault in the eyes of the writer, which is that it is not sufficiently large. It should be more numerous so there could be no monopoly of the honorable business, and so that its wholesome influence upon the public morals of the country would be more generally diffused through our [illegible]. The number of people engaged in the business of influence brokers and vote traders is altogether too small. This business should be recognized and popularized as a national industry. The Bill Kings, and Sam Wards and Boss Shepherds, Richard Irwins and Oakes Ameses, whose exploits have given the government so strong a hold on the confidence and affections of the people, and shed so much lustre on the national reputation abroad, should be multiplied indefinitely. Alaska is proving too big for a single Hutchinson to take care of and it has been demonstrated beyond the possibility of cavil that one Babcock is not equal to the Santo Domingo service. The idea of the *Republic* is new, but it cannot commend itself to the favorable consideration of the thoughtful and candid mind. The great need of the country, we are persuaded, is, more lobbyists and less distrust of those already "plying their avocations" in that ancient and honorable way.

The writer of a leading article in an Eastern magazine displays astounding familiarity with the classics of English literature when he quotes thus

> The mills of the gods grind very slow
> But they grind very fine"

That such a quotation should pass the scrutiny of the editor without detection is an indication of the culture that may preside over the sanctum of a magazine.

MARRIED:

In Albany Dec 21 J W McClure and Miss Susan Grounds.

In Port Townsend Dec 18, Geo A Willing and Miss Mattie L Felmar

In Seattle Dec 15 J R Barron and Miss Jannetta Freeman

In this city Dec 22, at the residence of D Wilson Esq by Rev R Bentley J P Schroeffel and Mary A Harrington

In Oswego Dec 12, by L H Calkins J P Albert Walling and Lizzie Bullock

DIED:

In Pendleton, Dec. 10 Mrs. Harriet Bryant, aged 35 years

In Pendleton Dec 10, Mary B Despain aged 15

In Albany Dec 21 Demas Beach, Esq aged 61

In Snohomish, W. T., Dec, 12, Mrs M W Pack ard aged 36 years

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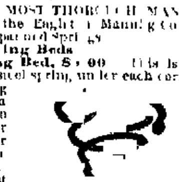

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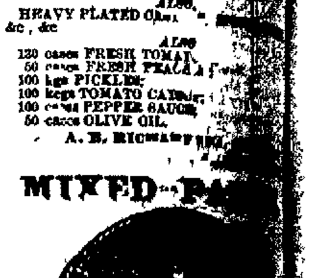

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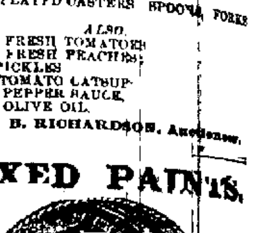

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THURSDAY MORNING, DEC 23 1875

CITY.

UBIQUITOUS. — Herrmann the magician must truly be a master of the magic art to be able to exhibit in Vienna on November 27, 1875, and to be in San Francisco within three or four days afterwards as he appears to have been by the following special dispatch to the New York *Herald* by cable

N. Y. HERALD BUREAU 61 AVENUE DE L'OPERA, PARIS, Nov 27 1875 }

That Vienna should not be outdone by the circus of Paris, the Viennese in default of Wagner, filled the houses to see the elder Herrmann, the great prestidigitateur. Indeed the audiences which welcomed his sleight-of hand were something enormous. And every one who has seen him will say that he is the prime minister of bewilderment. He is really a great, surprising magician.

OVERBOARD — About 12 o clock Tuesday night, a man whose name could not be learned, fell from the wharf near the old saw mill in Astoria and narrowly escaped drowning. He was considerably intoxicated at the time, but had sufficient presence of mind to shout for help. His cries for help attracted attention and brought several persons to his assistance. Ropes were thrown to him and he was drawn up on the wharf after being in the water some time. The night was extremely dark, and the only wonder is that the man was not drowned

DEPUTY SEWER COMMISSIONER — At the last meeting of the common council Councilman Sanborn introduced a resolution authorizing the street commissioner to employ an expert as deputy to personally superintend the construction of the Pine street sewer, and see that the work was performed in accordance with the conditions of the contract. In compliance with the above request Geo W Bell has been appointed to superintend the laying of the sewer.

CHRISTMAS FESTIVITIES.—The Sunday school of the Congregational church will meet in the church vestry Christmas Eve at 6 30 o clock to participate in their Christmas festivities. A good time for the little folks is expected. The Christmas tree exercises connected with the Taylor street M. E. Sunday school will begin at 7 o'clock Christmas Eve, instead of 7:30 as was previously announced. Parents and members of the school will take notice

RAISING THE YAKIMA —Mr. J. J. Holland who is superintending raising the sunken steamer Yakima, sent a dispatch yesterday morning from Celilo. He states that he has succeeded in raising the steamer six feet on the stern. She now lies on an even keel, with her main deck out of water. The after compartment of the steamer had been pumped out. It is hoped that the steamer will be got afloat in a few days.

FROM WRANGEL.—The latest advices from Wrangel state that the snow lay three feet on a level and the cold was intense. Stikine river was frozen. A party of men were one month in reaching Wrangel from Telegraph creek. The trip occupies about one and a half days in the summer season. The animals are all doing well. Stocks are good at Wrangel. A large immigration is anticipated in the spring.

ON TRIAL.—In the U S district court yesterday the case of U. S vs. Dan Smith and Mrs Jane Montgomery conjointly indicted for robbing and embezzling the money which was taken from the mails, was called for trial. The government is represented by U S District Attorney Mallory, assisted by J N Dolph. Wm. H. Effinger, James D Fay and Richard Williams appear for the defendants

WEATHER REPORT.—From the records of the U. S. Signal Station of Observation, Portland, Oregon, December 22 1875

	7 A M	2 P M	9 P M
Thermometer	50°	50°	53°
Wind, direction	S W	C	S W
Wind, velocity	8	0	6
Weather	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy
Rainfall			37
Maximum temp			53°

SENTENCED — Yesterday afternoon Dan Smith alias Andrew Harmison was sentenced by Judge Deady to eight years confinement in the State penitentiary—four years on each of the indictments of which Smith was found guilty. He received his sentence without the least manifestation of emotion

THANKS TENDERED —The ladies of St Stephen's chapel wish to return thanks to Mr Johnson for the use of the room which was occupied by the fair and festival recently held, also to Messrs Powers, Monastes, Hicks De Lin and DePrans for assistance rendered at their festival

IMPROVING.—We are pleased to state that the condition of Mr Joseph J Reilly, who was taken suddenly ill Monday afternoon, is greatly improved. He was confined to his bed for several days but is now able to sit up and will soon make his appearance on the street.

POLICE COURT NOTES.

Richard Miller, for getting ingloriously drunk, will take a brief rest in the city jail

James Blanchard was accused of the larceny of a blanket, and committed to the county jail for 60 days

Fritz got drunk and will chew the cud of bitter reflection for a few days, he having failed to liquidate a small fine

Wm. Multoon was drunk and disorderly and gracefully obeys the behests of the court and went to jail for three days

A. Barrett was "pulled" on a charge of vagrancy. The court recognized the justice of the charge, and committed defendant for five days.

Ah Gow, an unterrified Mongolian, was arrested for converting the sidewalk into a woodyard on a small scale. The case was continued.

A. Duval, for deporting himself in a manner wholly inconsistent with dignity and propriety, was fined by the court the modest sum of $5. He macerates prison diet for the next three days.

Mrs. Woodfield, for conducting herself in an unwomanly manner—getting drunk and acting disorderly—was required to pay a fine of $10. Her finances being somewhat low she concluded to tarry in jail a few days as a matter [illegible]

BALLS AND PARTIES.

A grand masquerade carnival will be held at Columbia hall, Olympia, Friday evening Dec. 31st.

The citizens of Oswego propose to give a masquerade ball at Dooley's hall on the evening of the 29th inst

The public are requested to bear in mind the fact that a grand masquerade ball be given tomorrow evening at Turner Halle under the auspices of the Jolly Companions. The various committees have made every arrangement necessary to insure the success of the affair, and it gives promise of being all that could be desired. We understand that a large number of maskers will be in attendance and a number of new and striking costumes are to be worn. Superior music will be furnished on the occasion and refreshments will be served in abundance at the Halle

AMUSEMENTS

Prof Herrmann and Mlle Addie remain this evening in order to give an entertainment for the benefit of Sheridan Corbyn who is a most energetic business agent and manager. Many changes will be made in the programme and is expected to be exceedingly attractive. Give Corbyn a bumper [illegible] that his efforts to introduce talent of the first order is fully appreciated

THE OPERA —Mr Morse arrived last evening from San Francisco. He informs us that the troupe will leave day after tomorrow for Portland. On the strength of the liberal subscription received here it has gone to double the expense originally contemplated and the season now is an assured success. The artists engaged have lately been singing with great success with the Lenore opera troupe. To avoid confusion all subscribed tickets will have to be paid for before being received

Elegant Cashmere Robes new designs at The White House. Lewis & Strauss, 87 First street

BRIEF NOTES.

Turkeys are getting plenty

The barkentine *Portland* has arrived

Remember Corbyn's benefit this evening

The ship *Beechwood* is moored at Pacific dock

The steamer *Calliope* will soon be ready for service again

The voice of the festive turkey is once more heard in the land

Look well to your doors and windows. Burglars are about.

Evergreens are in great demand, owing to the near approach of Christmas

The *West Shore* for December is on our table. It is a number of unusual interest.

Manager Corbyn's benefit to-night. Herrmann's full performances. Go and see him

The improvement of the channel of the Upper Columbia has been suspended, owing to high water

Persons desiring nice Christmas trees, should apply to Willie Ensign corner of First and Alder streets

Col Wilson, Gen Michler's successor will arrive here on the *Ajax*. He will take formal possession of the office about Jan 16, 1876

A woman named Lucy Starkey while being removed from a house on Second street last Monday to St Vincent's Hospital, died

A dispatch from Tacoma dated Dec. 22d, says "The *Dashing Wave* arrived at San Francisco on the morning of the nineteenth

A small boy living in the country some distance beyond East Portland was thrown from a buggy but fortunately escaped with slight injuries

Mr B Barnett was yesterday appointed as signee of the estate of W A Hart bankrupt by Register Northup—the creditors failing to elect an assignee

Workmen are engaged in repairing the pipes which are used to heat the new post office building. During the cold weather last winter several of these pipes were burst.

For convenience of display J K Gill & Co will re-arrange their stock of fine books to day. They display a larger and more elegant variety than was ever before brought to this market

THE TURF.

Says the Walla Walla *Statesman* of the 18th inst "The great event of the racing season came off last Saturday over the Trotting Park Course. The fact that Osceola was entered for the two-mile race drew out a large attendance. The horses that entered for the race were Emma McCormick, Rosa Mansfield and Osceola, the latter the favorite at long odds. Osceola won the race in two straight heats distancing both his competitors. The time for the first heat was 3 44, second heat 3 48"

Saturday December 4th, the trotting race over Mr Bush's Trotting Park for a purse of $150 came off. The entries were Warnick's Bashaw Lindsey's Blue Mountain Boy, and Coggan's Mystery. In the pools Blue Mountain Boy was the first choice, Bashaw the second and Mystery nominal. But when the horses got the word, to the surprise of everybody the cheap selling Mystery shot ahead and kept the lead throughout the heat coming home first. The second heat was a repetition of the first, Mystery winning easily. The third heat was likewise a repetition of the second and the horse last in the pools was first in the race coming under the wire ahead winning the heat race and money in three straight heats. Time—2 53 2 48½ 2 54½. Mystery could evidently have done much better even than he did, and it became apparent that he would be a dangerous horse to go against if he had a little more training

THE LEWIS BROS —We find the following complimentary notice of the Lewis Culmination Company which appear in this city next week in the Merced (Cal) *Exchange*. During the past week the Lewis Bros have entertained our people with three successful entertainments and in fact, have taken the laurels over all other travelling soirees heretofore given in Merced and it is the universal verdict that these gentlemen and troupe give an entertainment as represented—first class. The performance consisted of a *melange* of startling wonders vocalisms and musical selections. The most noticeable feature of the entertainment is the wonderful power one of the brothers possess in the mesmeric art and magnetism which performance alone is well worth the journey of many a mile to witness. The celerity in which the most stubborn of minds are brought under the complete control of the operator is startling. There has been many a pro and con why and wherefore expressed in regard to this performance which has furnished many with a theme for conversation for time to come. The vocalisms and particularly the orchestral and operatic selections rendered by Leona Watson, won the plaudits of all by being heartily *encored* which at once stamped her as an *artiste* of rare culture. The tableaux and statuary, in which a number of young ladies assisted were beautiful in the extreme. Taking the entertainment all in all it has been of a nature that our people enjoyed and should the Lewis Bros revisit Merced they can depend on meeting with a hearty welcome.

SOCIAL EVENTS.

The Waverly Social Club hold their second soiree early next month. It promises to eclipse the initial party

A pleasant affair took place at Mr John Marshall's residence North Fourth street on Tuesday evening—the entertainment being given to Mrs L C. Fuller sister of Mrs Marshall who is about to depart for the East. Chas Graham and J Brenner furnished the music—the former prompting when occasion required. Edibles were served in great profusion

W Jackson & Co are selling their elegant French China dinner and tea sets fine plated ware, and everything in their line at such prices as cannot fail to please. They are having a cleaning out sale. Open in the evening

Only two more days in which to select your Christmas presents and before the finest are all gone be sure to call at Henrichsen's if you want to select from the finest and largest assortment ever offered in Portland, at the lowest price in town. New goods just received, don t fail to see them

If you wish peace in the family present your wife sister or mother in law with one of the leading machines and best adapted for all kinds of work,—the *New Home*. Large variety and prices to suit the times, at the Agency, Morrison street

At Wood's Museum on Christmas hundreds will go to get the prizes offered by Buchtel & Stolte, Fishel & Roberts Feaster and others hundreds will go to see those who get the prizes, and hundreds will go to see the 1,000 new attractions and hundreds will go this Christmas because Wood gave free admission to all the children last Christmas. We will go ourselves and take the babies. We hear of very many who are going out to get a premium for their baby

Camel's Hair and Real Scotch Plaid Dress Goods with plain material to match at greatly reduced prices at "The White House" 87 First street

If you desire to gladden the heart of a friend or relative by some elegant present you will find the finest display of holiday goods at Wm Pfunder's

The nobbiest collar you can wear is the Warwick. It is the stylish width this season. Ask for it at the furnishing stores

Go to Beck & Sons every night this week and see the Show free for everybody. New goods per steamer *Ajax*

Mr Wilkins the agent of the Wheeler & Wilson has shown us testimonials from persons in all parts of the State saying that the No 6 and 7 machines stitch [illegible] from the hardest leather to the finest tissue paper

Rich Black and Colored Dress Silks the largest stock in the city at extremely low rates at Lewis & Strauss White House 87 First street

In order to accommodate all who may call at Beck & Waldman's to day and tomorrow they [illegible] with the prices of [illegible] will [illegible] at the neat suits display and they will expect their parents to purchase something for a Christmas present

[illegible] containing 129 pieces of the finest quality [illegible] our own importation. [illegible]
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"PROFESSIONAL BEAT" AGAIN.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN

The article written for your paper by the Rev. D J Pierce, might do injustice to the Taylor street Methodist church. Mr Pierce says

"About two months since a young man called on me and declared his wish to unite with my church saying that he had formerly been a member of the Taylor street M E church and when going away had taken a letter from them and now wishes to change his relation. After consultation I noted the time at which he could present himself to the church, and as he was a stranger, I proceeded to verify his statements, and found he had been a member of the Taylor street church, and was informed that their books had nothing against him"

The above quotation associates the name of Franklin with the Taylor street Methodist church in such a manner as to make it indirectly a voucher for his character

The facts are these. Mr Franklin was received on trial by the Rev. G W Izer, on Feb 11th, 1873. He was dismissed by the same clergyman as a member on trial on June 10th 1873. Two years ago last June Mr Franklin's relation to the Taylor street church ceased. A few months since this young man, a stranger to me inquired whether he was a member of the Taylor street church or not. He stated that he had been away from the city a long time and was not certain whether he was a member or not. I referred to the church records which revealed the facts as just stated. He was not a member. He desired to be received as a regular member of the Taylor street church claiming that he had been a good member somewhere else. I asked him for credentials from his former pastor but he had none. By the rules of the Methodist Episcopal church I could not receive him as a member in full connection. I told him that after examination I could receive him as a member on probation. At this point he was seized with conscientious convictions with regard to immersion and professed that the Baptist Church would welcome him

The statement that "he (Mr Pierce) had been informed that there was nothing in our books against him" must be understood in the light of the fact that the Taylor street Methodist Church had no jurisdiction over this young man for two years and a half

To conclude then the entire connection of this young man with the church did not exceed four months. He was never received as a member in full connection. He has had no relation whatever to the church for between two and three years except that he was refused admission into the church for want of credentials. We deeply regret the necessity of writing this statement

While ecclesiastically he has no relation to us as a church, morally we are related to all men. Our hearts go out in prayer and sympathy for the fallen. He that seemed so useful a short time ago in the Baptist church and who despite our fears, we hoped might prove a "burning and shining light" in the church of his choice, has yielded to temptation and is under the condemnation of the law and under the ban of public opinion

I feel sad for the young man and sympathize with our sister church which has thus been imposed upon. At the same time let it be understood, that the Taylor street Methodist church is *not in the least responsible* for such imposition

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CAPITAL NOTES

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The Insurance company has we learn, allowed but about $900 damages on Dr Belt's residence which was burned on Sunday last

New Year's calls will be indulged in quite extensively this year. Already cards are being printed and general arrangements made for the occasion

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The people east of the mountains are fully alive to the importance of permanent rates of cheap transportation and are subscribing liberally. It is probable that much more than the required sum will be raised if necessary

On the morning of the 16th about 9 o clock W Cowles, a shepherd in the employ of G. W Smith of Goldendale was thrown and trampled upon by a vicious horse sustaining injuries from which he died in a short time. He had lately been married to an accomplished young lady of Goldendale

At a regular meeting of Klickitat Grange No 41 the following persons were chosen officers for the ensuing year: H T Levins M; A [illegible] Bunnell O; Robt Nixon Sec; John Burgen S; John Chatfield A S; Miss A Burgen L A S; Chas Drayer, G K; Mrs E A Hopkins Ceres; Mrs E A Levins P; Mrs Sarah Bunnell, F; E A Hopkins T; John Dingman, C

During the high water at Goldendale a family was rescued from their residence with a raft constructed by some of the neighbors for the purpose,—the Klickitat creek having raised so high within so short a time as to flood the dwelling almost unawares. The Methodist parsonage was entirely surrounded with water and was inaccessible for some days. The swail, from John Graham's ranch near Klickitat lake is one vast sheet of water

A highly respectable and exemplary young man, while laboring under a temporary aberration of mind, escaped from his house one night last week and went to the house of a neighbor, where he stated that he wished to find a passage in the Bible. He was induced to retire but about 3 o'clock A M, he again arose seized upon a lunch spread upon the table and made over the mountains, a distance of some eight miles to the Columbia river near Columbia landing. Here he found an old skiff which he succeeded in getting into the water, when he embarked for the opposite shore. The boat being very leaky, soon filled and was about to sink, when the young man leaped into the water and finally reached the shore, nearly dead with cold having removed all his outer clothing. He was finally captured near the Indian *rancherie* some two miles above, and is now in the hands of friends, and recovering.

THE COURTS.

U S DISTRICT COURT—DEADY J
WEDNESDAY, Dec 22 1875

United States vs Andrew Harmison alias Dan Smith and Sarah Jane Montgomery. Jury empanelled George Stephens Fred Steiwer J W Thornberry, J B Beckner Jacob Ogle Guyan Gibson, Francis Taggart Wright Forbay, P W Gillette, Albert Odell W F Fastham James Jory.

United States vs Andrew Harmison, alias Dan Smith defendant sentenced to 4 years imprisonment at hard labor in the Penitentiary upon each crime charged in the indictment making 8 years in all.

COUNTY COURT—WOODWARD, J—HANSON AND HOLMAN, COMMISSIONERS

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Financial

WEDNESDAY EVENING Dec 22 1875.

Gold [illegible] York 114⅞ @115.

[illegible] in Portland—buying 87 selling 88

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[illegible] at par

The [illegible] many people to prepare [illegible] all accounts at the beginning of the year and take a [illegible]. While it is [illegible] that the results of operations in trade [illegible] for the year will foot up much if any [illegible] than in former years there is still [illegible] gratulation that the financial dis[illegible] almost every other part of the [illegible] not been even generally felt in this State.

A good deal has been said lately concerning [illegible] country to resume specie payments at the time contemplated by the act of the last Congress. In view of the proposition to resume the report of the director of the mint becomes a matter of general interest especially that part of the report estimating the amount of gold in the country. It places it at $167,600 000. It is claimed that [illegible] reports from the same source were [illegible] defective. Last year the director's report stated that the amount in the treasury and [illegible] on the 30th of June 1874 was $9 389 861. By referring to the report of the comptroller of the treasury for the year ending June 30 1875 it will be seen that the national banks could not then be considered as holding over $[illegible],000 000 of actual coin, and there was, says the New York *Bulletin* in the treasury at that time $88,149 108, of which as always an unknown amount consisted of coin certificates redeemed but not cancelled and counted as gold. So that here was an over statement of probably $7 000 000. Again his estimates makes no allowance for the large amounts of both silver and gold which every year are consumed in the arts and manufactures. If the statistics of production and import for a long series of years be compared with the exports, it will be found that the latter average about $20 000,000 a year less than the supply, which amount can not be traced anywhere in the stocks of coin in the country, and must therefore be regarded as going into the arts and manufactures, and a similar movement is traceable in Great Britain and other large countries. Making allowance for these omitted elements and for the error in the estimate of the amount in the national banks, we should have to reduce Dr. Linderman's estimate of last year down to about $120 000 000 instead of $166 800 000 as he figures.

The New York Wheat Market

The New York *Shipping List* of the 1st instant contains the following on the wheat market:

The sudden closing of canal navigation by which something over a million bushels is supposed to have been embargoed on the Erie canal served to arrest the downward tendency of the wheat market on Monday, but with the visible supply far in excess of the demand, the tone again became very weak yesterday, and the low grades of both spring and winter growths closed if anything cheaper than at the date of our last. The choice grades are not pressed for sale as they could only be forced off at a further decline. With cheap money and cheap storage the heavy receivers prefer to place their supplies in warehouse. The chief element of depression is as we have said the excessive supply as an evidence of which the quantity afloat and in transit for Great Britain, from various quarters, foots up in round numbers no less than 16 000 000 bushels, with at least an equal amount in our seaboard markets and in the warehouses at the principal shipping points in the West. It appears that the surplus of last year's crop on both sides of the Atlantic has been greatly underestimated. Instead of the old crop having been nearly exhausted at the beginning of the present harvest year there was a large supply in this country in France in Southern Russia, and in other parts of Continental Europe—a surplus as it turns out, amply sufficient to make good whatever deficiencies there may have been in this year's harvests. Although but three months of the crop year have gone by Great Britain, the chief dependent country has already drawn from various quarters fully one-half her estimated requirements of foreign wheat for the year ending with next August. This is sufficient to explain the gradual fall in prices since the harvest which has far exceeded the expectations of even the most pronounced bears in that cereal. Under those circumstances cheap wheat during the winter months is regarded by the leading operators here as a foregone conclusion.

Domestic Produce.

The wheat market is quite dull owing to advices from abroad, which are not at all encouraging. Quotations have a pretty wide range running all the way from $1 60 to $1 70 per cental. The receipts are nearly up to the average for the month and still the warehouses along the river and railroad are reported as containing very large quantities stored to await higher prices. Flour is in fair supply and firm at former quotations. Oats are also unchanged buyers still offering 60 cents per bushel with fair receipts and a good local and shipping demand. Mill feed and hay are weaker as the winter progresses and the weather continues mild. Potatoes are liberally offered and prices hardly so firm. Bacon and lard are abundant and both are dull the latter being especially so. Butter is in very fair receipt of ordinary quality choice being always good sale. Eggs are wanted at 40 cents per dozen with prospect of an advance for the local trade.

Shipping Intelligence.

The steamship California will sail for Sitka and intermediate ports on Tuesday next at 4 P M

The barkentine Portland with a cargo of assorted mdse from San Francisco has arrived and is discharging at Flanders' wharf.

The ship Western Shore has cleared for Cork with a full cargo of wheat.

The Br ship Abercarne is due from San Francisco to load wheat.

The Br ship P[illegible]onah is due at Astoria where she will load wheat.

The schr Hera with mdse from San Francisco is about due.

The Beechwood moved up to Pacific wharf this morning and will load at once.

The steamer Ajax from San Francisco arrived this evening at 9 30 o clock.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 22.—Arrived—Schr Oregonian Columbia river; schrs A P Jordan and Alice Kimball Coos Bay, brig Tropeia, Astoria; U S str Shubrick Astoria and cruise; schr Ada May Navigator's Island; str Oriflamme Portland; str Newborn, Colorado river.

Sailed—Nicaraguan bark Remigio Callao.

EXPORTS.

Per Oregon built ship Western Shore, Capt. McAlep, dispatched by Rodgers Meyer & Co, Dec. 21st for Cork for orders—60 000 bushels wheat valued at $61 [illegible]

San Francisco Markets.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO Dec 22—Flour—Superfine $4 50 @5; Extra $5 50@5 75 for shipping lots $5 75 @6 25 for jobbing lots.

Wheat—Market firm at $1 9[illegible] for choice shipping alongside vessel; $[illegible] for choice milling.

Barley—Coast feed, $1 17½; brewing $1 60; Chevalier $1 65@1 70. It is difficult to get over $1 20 for feed or $1 30 for brewing.

Oats—$1 90@2 for feed sorts; $2@2 15 for milling.

Potatoes—Market overstocked with inferior kinds which are dull of sale at 87½@$1; choice firm at $1 30@1 40; very few that will bring an advance on the top figure.

Corn—Large yellow $1 1[illegible]@1 17½; small yellow $1 [illegible]@1 17½.

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[illegible] business has induced Prof. A. [illegible] to abandon teaching altogether. He will make regular trips through all parts of Oregon and Washington Territory. Patrons can be sure of first class work as he [illegible] recommended by [illegible] Music Store where he has a regular engagement. Also by the celebrated Pianist Frank Gilder. Orders from all parts of the country may be left at [illegible] Music Store and will receive prompt attention. n3d3m

K. of P.—Excelsior Lodge No. 1, meets every Wednesday evening at 7½ o'clock in Castle Hall corner First and Taylor streets. Members of Sister Lodges and sojourning brethren are cordially invited to attend. THEO BARKER C C

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WHALLEY & FECHHEIMER,

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Attorney-at-Law—Corvallis, Oregon.

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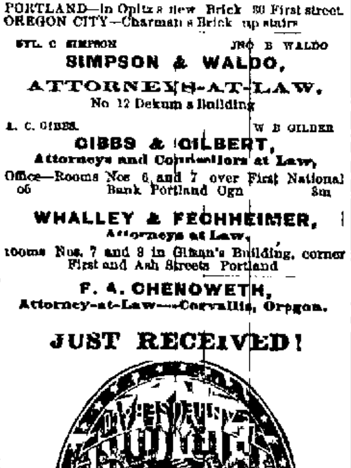

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Office of General Superintendent, and Assistant Land Commissioner

KALAMA Washington Territory, Dec 6 1875

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AGRICULTURAL AND TIMBER LANDS,

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Purchasers can obtain information in relation to all the Company's lands at the

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d7d2m Gen'l Sup't & Ass't Land Com'r

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ALL KINDS OF WOOD,

Sawed and unsawed constantly on hand and delivered to any part of the City

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Of all descriptions

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- Fancy and Work Baskets,
- Writing and Dressing Cases,
- Albums, Prang's Illuminated Cards,
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- Porte Monnaies, Pocket Cutlery,
- Yankee Notions, and a full and complete assortment of TOYS, etc., etc.

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ARE FULLY PREPARED TO RECEIVE CONsignments of Goods to be forwarded to all points in Oregon and Idaho and can offer superior inducements to shippers by having a large

FIRE-PROOF WAREHOUSE,

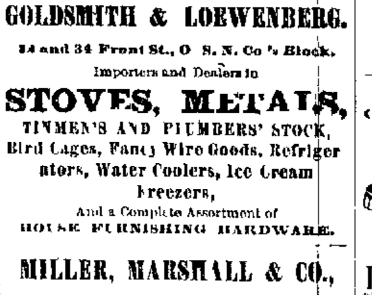
For the Storage of Goods and a large experience, which enables us to make shipments at the very lowest rates.

All matters connected with the Forwarding and Commission business promptly attended to. Consignments solicited. Mark goods Care J R F

Always on hand a full assortment of Groceries, Provisions & Clothing, Mechanics, Miners & Blacksmiths' Tools, And a Large Stock of

IRON AND STEEL,

Which will be sold LOW FOR CASH



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HAVING BEEN APPOINTED SOLE AGENT for the above celebrated brand of Kentucky Whiskey I am in receipt of an invoice of the same, in barrels half barrels and cases which I am prepared to offer to the trade, at jobbing rates.

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HOUSE FURNISHING HARDWARE.

MILLER, MARSHALL & CO.,

OF

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ANNOUNCE TO THE TRADE THAT THEY ARE now manufacturing Flour with the aid of the best

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and feel warranted in asserting that our hitherto Extra Manufacture is much improved by the NEW PROCESS which we believe a fair trial will demonstrate. Also SUPERFINE FLOUR and MILL OFFALS always on hand and quoted at the lowest market rates.

Address all orders as above.

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J. W. MILLER & SON,

No 98 Front Street,

[illegible] Milwaukie [illegible]

WILL HAVE CONSTANTLY ON HAND A general assortment of

STOVES AND TINWARE.

ALL JOBBING in the line of the above [illegible] will be promptly attended to by

OLD JOHN MILLER,

At Reasonable Rates

STREET CAR TICKETS

ARE SOLD IN QUANTITIES OF TWENTY OR [illegible] FIVE CENTS EACH by

WM PFUNDER Druggist [illegible] First & Ash streets

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[illegible] & CO First st bet Washington & Stark

S A STANSBERRY cor First and Madison streets

And at the COMPANY'S OFFICE Room 4 Railroad Building. o1od1m

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DEPOSITS RECEIVED, AND COIN AND CURRENCY accounts kept, subject to Check at sight.

COLLECTIONS made and proceeds promptly remitted.

INTEREST FROM DATE paid on Coin Time deposits.

Coin & Currency Exchange

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Bills of Exchange,

Drawn in the usual way for any sum desired, on

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THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF PORTLAND.

Designated Depositary and Financial Agent United States.

President, HENRY FAILING

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DEPOSITS RECEIVED IN COIN OR CURRENCY subject to check at sight.

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PUGET SOUND GIG HARBOR FISHING CO.

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Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

Fresh Puget Sound Fish, Oysters & Clams

And Salt Fish of all kinds. Cash must come with the orders. F GOLDSMITH Manager

Shoalwater Bay Oysters

SERVED DAILY AT THE

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RESTAURANT & CHOP HOUSE.

Washington Street, bet. First and Front.

OPEN DAY AND NIGHT.

Private Rooms for Ladies Gentlemen or Parties. Orders out of the house promptly attended to.

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OYSTER ROOMS!

5,000 Eastern Oysters

Fresh Lot Shoalwater Bays

NOW ON HAND

UNION FISH MARKET.

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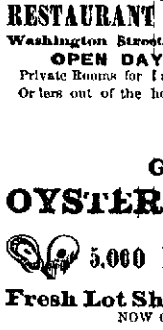

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Of all kinds

Goods Delivered Free of Charge

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In Every Style, at the

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Shoalwater Bay Oysters 50c per hundred

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

E. W. ALDRICH, M. D.,

Office—127 & 129 First Street.

Specialty—Diseases of Women and Children [illegible]

T. L. NICKLIN, Dentist,

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REMOVAL.

DR. ALFRED KINNEY has removed his Office and Residence to the North west corner of Alder and Last [illegible] streets (double house) where he can be found at any time.

HOTELS AND RESTAURANTS.

ST. CHARLES HOTEL,

Cor Morrison and Front Sts,

PERKINS, COGGAN & CO, Proprietors.

C H Perkins late of the American Ex H [illegible]

Free Coach to and from the House

CLARENDON HOTEL,

ZIEBER & KNOWLES,

Proprietors.

Opp the Railroad and [illegible] Depots. Street Cars pass the House every five minutes.

Free Coach to and from the House

COLUMBIA HOTEL,

EDWARD STILLER, - PROPRIETOR.

Second and A Streets, Portland

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BOARDING & LODGING

Reduced to 25 Cents per Day at

THOMPSON'S TWO-BIT HOUSE.

The THOMPSON HOUSE is the cheapest house in Oregon for married or single. No Bar on the premises.

Employers in want of Help will please call as there are always good steady men around. No charge made.

RAILROADS.

Oregon & California R. R. Co

To Take Effect Sunday, Aug. 8d, 1875, at 4 A. M.

DAILY (EXCEPT SUNDAY)

As follows

PORTLAND AND ROSEBURG

LEAVE		ARRIVE	
Portland	7 30 A. M	Roseburg	7 10 P
Roseburg	5 00 A. M	Portland	4 15 P

ALBANY EXPRESS TRAIN.

DAILY (EXCEPT SUNDAYS)

As follows

LEAVE		ARRIVE	
Portland	2 50 P M	Albany	8 25 P M
Albany	5 30 A M	Portland	10 05 A. M.

FREIGHT TRAINS

DAILY (EXCEPT SUNDAYS) AS FOLLOWS

LEAVE		ARRIVE	
Portland	6 15 A M	Junction	6.00 P. M
Junction	5 45 A M	Portland	5.15 P M

The Oregon and California Railroad Ferry makes connection with all Regular Trains.

Close connections are made at ROSEBURG with the Stages of the Oregon and California Stage Company.

Tickets for Sale to all the principal points in California and the East, at Company's Office,

Cor. F and Front Sts., at Ferry Landing

PORTLAND

Storage will be charged on freight remaining in Warehouse over 24 hours.

Freight will not be received for shipment after 5 o'clock P M

J BRANDT Jr, Gen'l Sup't.

E P ROGERS, Gen'l Freight and Passenger Agent.

Northern Pacific Railroad.

PACIFIC DIVISION

KALAMA TO TACOMA.

DAILY (SUNDAYS EXCEPTED.)

LEAVE		ARRIVE	
Kalama	11 20 A M	Tacoma	5 30 P M
Tacoma	6.30 A M	Kalama	12 40 P M

CONNECTIONS

At Kalama with O. S. N. Co's Boats for all points on Columbia River.

At Tenino with stages for Olympia.

At Tacoma with Steamers for all points on Puget Sound on Sundays and Wednesdays at 6 P. M. with Steamer for Victoria and Stikine Mines.

And on the 6th 16th and 27th of each Month with the Pacific Mail Steamship Company's steamers for San Francisco.

Through Tickets for sale at the office of the O S N Co Portland Or

J W SPRAGUE, General Superintendent.

H. W. FAIRWEATHER, General Ticket Agent

Kalama W T Nov 15 1875

MARKETS.

MARCUS M SPAULDING, MORTON M SPAULDING

SPAULDING BROS.

Stalls 1 and 2 Central Market,

Wholesale & Retail Butchers.

FINEST MEATS IN THE MARKET

Free Delivery to all parts of the city

A. H. JOHNSON,

Stalls 26, 27 and 28 Central Market,

Dealer in all kinds of

Fresh Meats.

PACKER OF BEEF AND PORK.

Highest Price paid for all kinds of Fat Stock

CHRIS. SCHLOTH,

Washington St., near Third,

Is prepared to supply Fresh

Beef, Pork, Mutton, Veal, Etc.

Free delivery to any part of the city

J. S. KELLER,

Cor. Madison and First Streets,

Is prepared to supply Fresh

Beef, Pork, Mutton, Veal, Etc.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

PORTLAND MARKET.

E. H. GARLING,

Cor. MORRISON and SECOND STREETS,

KEEPS CONSTANTLY ON HAND the best of all kinds of MEATS. All orders delivered in any part of the city Free of Charge. Also, KOSHER BEEF VEAL AND MUTTON

LIVERY AND HACK STABLES.

OREGON TRANSFER COMPANY

OFFICE & HACK STABLE,

N. W. Corner of Second and Stark Street

Until further notice our Carriage Rates will be as follows:

Calling and Riding in City Limits $1 00 an hour

To or from Trains and Steamboats, 50 cents each person

To and from Concerts Theaters, Balls and Parties $1 50 a couple

Funerals each Hack $1 00 an hour

All orders given to the Drivers or left at the office will be promptly attended to day or night

E. CORBETT'S

Livery, Hack & Feed Stables,

(FIRE PROOF)

COR SECOND AND TAYLOR STREETS.

Reasonable Charges for Hire. Particular Attention paid to Boarding Horses.

OBSERVE PRICES IN THE HACK DEPARTMENT

Riding $1 00 per hour

Calling $1 00 first hour 50c each additional hour

To boats 50 cents each passenger

Funerals $2 per Hack

To and from Balls and Parties $1 50 a couple

Orders left at STABLE or FISHEL & ROBERTS promptly attended to at any hour

People without means will be furnished Hacks free to funerals for the next thirty days

LAND FOR IMMIGRANTS.

Choice Farms for Sale

4,000 ACRES, IN QUANTITIES TO SUIT PURCHASERS

230 ACRES DUE SOUTH AND ADJOINING the Railroad Depot at Salem all under cultivation and suitable for grain or vegetables.

946 ACRES four miles southeast of Salem on the railroad with Mill creek running through it. This is the oldest farm in [illegible] county with fine springs [illegible] the old Reed donation claim [illegible] raised the present year fifty bushels of wheat and three tons of [illegible] per acre. The first crop of oats ever raised on part of this land measured ninety four bushels per acre grain weighed and ground chained by Mr Allis [illegible] of Salem.

3 200 ACRES of prairie and light brush land with timber for farming purposes bounded by the Willamette river four miles [illegible] lake [illegible] landings all along the river [illegible] miles north of Salem—all choice grain land—the largest and most suitable body of land to be found in the Willamette valley to be purchased by a colony. To sell from $15 to $25 per acre. This land will all be immediately resurveyed and laid [illegible] for small or large parcels to suit purchasers. [illegible] can be subdivided to the best [illegible] for any person or persons [illegible] best part of the Willamette valley [illegible] of Salem at [illegible] advantages as well as [illegible] will sell [illegible] on more favorable terms than they ever expect to realize again.

Salem Nov 9 1875 THOMAS CROSS n13dw3m

SCHOOL TAXES.

TO THE TAXPAYERS OF SCHOOL DISTRICT No 1 Multnomah county Oregon [illegible] hereby notified that [illegible] tax for [illegible] is [illegible] due and [illegible] of a warrant from the Board of Directors [illegible] dated November [illegible] to collect the same within sixty days.

GEO. W. MURRAY, Clerk of School District No 1

Office at 62 Front street [illegible] to [illegible] M [illegible] M

Portland N v 18 1875

CITY POUND NOTICE.

TAKEN UP ON THE 18TH INST ONE BAY Pony with white spot in forehead. If not redeemed previously he will be sold at the City Pound on Saturday Dec [illegible] at 10 A M to pay costs and expenses.

CHAS LAWRENCE, City Pound Keeper

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FOR SAN FRANCISCO, DIRECT.

CARRYING U. S. MAILS.

THE OREGON STEAMSHIP COMPANY'S Steamer

AJAX.

FRED. BOLLES, Commander

Will leave Portland Warehouse and Dock Company's Wharf at Foot of F street, for the above port

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1875,

At 4 o'clock, P. M.

For Freight or Passage apply at the Office of the Company corner F and Front streets.

GEO W WEIDLER Agent.

For PORT TOWNSEND, VICTORIA, NANAIMO, FORT WRANGLE and SITKA.

CARRYING U. S. MAILS.

THE OREGON STEAMSHIP CO.'S Steam Propeller

CALIFORNIA,

JOHN HAYES, Commander,

Will leave Portland Warehouse and Dock Company's Wharf, at foot of F street, for the above ports,

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1875,

At 4 o'clock P M.

For Freight or Passage apply at the Office of the Company, corner of F and Front streets

GEO W WEIDLER Agent

RIVER STEAMERS.

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER SEPT 17TH until further notice the Steamer E. N. COOKE will leave her dock foot of F street, every day (Sundays excepted), at 2.30 P. M. for Oregon City.

Passengers for Dayton and intermediate points will take cars at Portland at 7.20, connecting at Canemah on Monday, Wednesday and Friday of each week.

Rates of Freight Greatly Reduced.

All freights delivered in Portland free of drayage.

Freight forwarded to Astoria with dispatch.

J. D BILES, Agent

"Ohio" and "City of Salem,"

OF THE INDEPENDENT LINE, will leave Pacific Wharf on

WEDNESDAY AND FRIDAY

Of this week for

HARRISBURG & INTERMEDIATE POINTS

Freight received at the above Dock during all business hours

THE

Willamette River Trans. Co.'s

STEAMERS leave PORTLAND from the Central Wharf, between Washington and Alder streets, as follows:

WILLAMETTE RIVER ROUTE.

Around the Falls by Locks and Canal!

No detention or re-handling of freight at Oregon City!

FOR DAYTON—Str GOV GROVER, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 7 A. M.

FOR ALBANY—Str. CHAMPION, Tuesday and Friday, at 6 A. M.

FOR CORVALLIS—Str WILLAMETTE CHIEF, Monday and Thursday, at 6 A. M.

COLUMBIA RIVER ROUTE.

FOR ASTORIA and WAY LANDINGS, connecting at KALAMA with N. P. Railroad, for the SOUND and VICTORIA—Str BEAVER. Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 6 A. M.

Lightering and Towing of Vessels between Portland and Astoria at REDUCED RATES.

FRANK T DODGE Agent.

Oregon Steam Navigation Co.'s

PASSENGER SCHEDULE.

PASSENGERS LEAVE PORTLAND FOR DALLES—Daily, (except Sunday) at 5 o'clock A. M.

FOR KALAMA and TACOMA—Daily (Sundays excepted) at 7 A. M.

FOR VICTORIA—Wednesday and Saturday at 6 A. M.

FOR ASTORIA—Daily (except Sunday) at 6 A. M.

For Cathlamet, Bay View and Skomockaway—Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 6 A. M.

For Westport, Manhattan and Clifton—Tuesday Thursday and Saturday, at 6 A. M.

For KNAPPA—Thursday at 6 A. M.

J C AINSWORTH President.

Portland & Vancouver Packet.

THE STEAMER VANCOUVER,

JAS T GRAY Master,

WILL LEAVE DAILY FROM FOOT OF ALder Street for Vancouver at 2 30 P. M. Returning leave Vancouver at 8 A. M. For freight or passage apply on board. Towing done between 10 30 A. M and 2 P M daily except Sundays.

Twelfth Street

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ASSESSment made by Ordinance No 1709 for the improvement of Twelfth street, in the manner provided by Ordinance No 1660 on each of the following described lots or tracts of land fronting upon that part of Twelfth street lying between Washington and Columbia streets as well as those liable for a proportionate share of improving the intersections of streets running at right angles therewith, is due and payable in the office of the City Treasurer in United States gold and silver coin, and unless paid within fifteen days from the date hereof the Common Council will order warrants issued for the collection thereof.

Blk	Lot	Owner	Assessm't
S ½ [illegible]	7 8	Geo F Cole	$ 42 00
	5 6	C Holman	4 00
N ½ K	7 8	W A Scoggins	9 8[illegible]
	5 6	S G Reed	34 15
N ½ K	5 6 7 8	M O Lownsdale	16 20
N ½ J	5 6 7 8		33 40
S ½ J	6 7 8 N 12 ft 5		51 0[illegible]
	8 ½ 5 ft 5	Mitchell & Wood	5 66
M	W 31 ft 5 6 7 8	B Goldsmith	166 48
	E 69 ft 5 6 8	B Brotherton	31 7
Tract 24 ft long E of Twelfth street		J Kamm	209 20
Tract 41 by 46 ft		W B Chapman	24 88
N ½ O	7 8	H Ralston	129 40
S ½ O W 48 ft 5	6 7 8	R R Riley	148 40
	E 67 ft 5 6 7 8	B Kolln	24 20
312	1 N ½ 2	D Mackay	40
	1 S ½ 2	G H Durham	6 60
	4	J L Davidson	7 31
311	1 2 3 4	Mrs A Reed	98 75
309	1 2 3 4	W Jackson	181 65
308	1 2	John Wilson	90 80
	S tract 4	E C Protzman	33 —
E ½ tract 1 W of Twelfth st, E ½ and S of Main street,		J H D Gray	147 9[illegible]
		J Kamm	191 20
E ½ tract W of Twelfth st and S of Main street,		J Kamm	1[illegible]8 90
E ½ tract W of Twelfth st, and N of Jefferson		M F Chapman	192 10
			$ [illegible] 18

By order of the Common Council.

W S CALDWELL, Auditor and Clerk

December 2[illegible], 1875 d[illegible]

City Assessment.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ASSESSMENT ROLL of the City of Portland has been duly filed and will remain open in the Auditor's Office until [illegible] 1876 prior to which time all applications for corrections of errors must be filed. Particular attention is directed to the following section of Ordinance No 1111:

Section [illegible]. Any person deeming himself aggrieved by the assessment or valuation or listing of property may apply to the Common Council for a revision of the same.

Such application shall contain a list of all the property subject to taxation [illegible] the applicant [illegible] the hands of the [illegible] and a statement of the particular items claimed to be erroneously assessed, which said application shall in all cases be verified by oath or affirmation of the applicant and must be filed with the Auditor before the 1st day of January following the date of the filing of the Assessment Roll.

Dec 2 1875 W S CALDWELL, Auditor and Clerk

WALTER A. WOODS' REAPERS & MOWERS

FOR SALE AT

EVERDING & FARRELL,

Foot of Alder street,

[illegible] (?) [illegible]

N. W. SPAULDING'S

[illegible]

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17 and 19 Fremont Street bet[illegible] tween Front and Natt[illegible]

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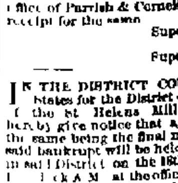

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ROAD TAXES.

ALL ROAD TAXES FOR YEAR 18[illegible] in Road Districts Nos. one (1) and two (2) [illegible] county Oregon now unpaid, will be [illegible] linquent if not settled before the [illegible] ry 1876. The law provides that the [illegible] shall proceed to collect the delinq[illegible] levy and sale of the property both real [illegible] al of all delinquents and in addition to [illegible] of such tax shall collect twenty [illegible] thereon besides costs and expen[illegible] and sale.

Payment of said road taxes can be made at the office of Parrish & Cornell who are [illegible] receipt for the same.

A. J. WATSON, Supervisor Road Dist. [illegible]

P. GABEL, Supervisor Road Dist. No. 1

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Oregon. [illegible] of the St Helens Mill Company, [illegible] hereby give notice that a fourth general [illegible] the same being the final meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt will be held in the city of Portland in said District on the 18th day of January, 1876, at [illegible] o'clock A M at the office of H H Northrup, Register in Bankruptcy for the purposes named in the [illegible] section of the Bankrupt Act of March [illegible] 1867. I also give notice that I will file my final accounts as assignee of said estate in said court, and that on the said 18th day of January 1876, I will apply to said court for settlement of my said accounts, and for a discharge from all liability as assignee of said estate in accordance with the provisions of the 28th section of the Bankrupt Act of March 2 1867.

ARTHUR CRISFIELD, [illegible]

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Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY VIRtue of an order of sale issued out of the County Court of the State of Oregon for Multnomah county I will sell at public auction at the Court House door in the city of Portland in said county, at one o'clock P M Saturday January 15, 1876, the following described real property belonging to the estate of Cincinnati Bills deceased for the payment of debts viz. Lot numbered five (5) in block one hundred and fifteen (115) situate at the corner of Clay and First streets in said city. Lot number three (3) in block number one hundred and forty seven (147) in Couch's Addition to the city of Portland. Said sale to be for cash in United States gold coin. Deeds to be at the expense of the purchaser.

W S CALDWELL, Administrator of the estate of C. Bills, dec'd.

Dec 10 1875.